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INSURGENTS ARRESTED.

Captured by a Squad of Officers at Pennsgrove, N. J.

HAD RECRUITED AT WILMINGTON.

And Were Awaiting the Arrival of a Vessel from Philadelphia to Carry Them to Cuba—A Quantity of Arms and Ammunition Captured.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 31.—Twenty men were brought here yesterday from Pennsgrove, N. J., and lodged in jail, charged with violation of the neutrality laws in having organized a hostile expedition to Cuba. They are still here, in custody of the United States authorities, and will be arraigned on Monday.

The men under arrest are: Pedro Belmont, Edward Sauri, Gerardo Lando, Manuel Lopez, Antonio Ruiz, Edward Vera, Francisco Montalvo, Jose R. Gomez, Frank Conito, Justo Carreno, Pablo Esten, Gerardo M. Dominguez, Frank Navedo, Mariano Navedo, Vincent C. Caullo, Pablo Mendez, Yusef C. Pos, Romone Peraza, Gerardo Peno and Casano Toronto. They all from Philadelphia and New York, and were arrested under orders issued by the treasury department.

It has been suggested for several months that a Cuban filibustering party was at work in this city, and it has just been learned that they have headquarters at 17 Market street here, and that at least one, if not more, expeditions to Cuba have been dispatched from this city. On Monday the United States authorities here were notified by Detective Gaylord, of the New York agency in Philadelphia, that another expedition was about to take its departure. Detective Gaylord and several of his associates came the next day.

United States Deputy Marshal Hewson Lannen and several assistants, together with the police authorities, have been keeping a close watch ever since. They noticed a number of suspicious characters loitering about the cigar store in the neighborhood of the headquarters of the Junta, and discovered that one of these had gone to the office of the Charles Farmer company on Thursday and chartered the tug Taurus to carry freight to Pennsgrove. They shadowed the tug until she left her wharf in this city Thursday night.

It was known beforehand by the authorities that the alleged filibustering party was to wait at Pennsgrove for a steamer to come from Philadelphia to take them to Cuba. The name of this steamer is not known, but it was learned that she was not expected to arrive at Pennsgrove until last midnight. The party, therefore, permitted the men to be watching to load their freight and embark their passengers without observation, and saw them sail in the direction of Pennsgrove, whither some of the detectives had been sent to await developments.

Last evening Marshal Lannen, with several assistants, Detective Gaylord and some of his associates, and a squad of police under Captain Kane, boarded the tug Taurus, and sailed to Pennsgrove. There they found the party who had chartered the Taurus, loitering about a railroad station, and put them under arrest.

When they overhauled the freight in the hold of the Taurus they found that it consisted of twenty-seven cases of arms, a large quantity of ammunition, provisions, clothing, etc. All of this was seized and the party returned to Wilmington. None of the persons has been permitted to make any statement, and it

is not thought that they will be until they are arraigned in court.

An expedition very similar to the one which came to grief last night put to sea in the tug Bertha about three weeks ago, and it is understood that its members were safely landed in Cuba.

Another Seizure of Arms.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The treasury department has received a telegram from Collector of Customs Cottrell, at Cedar Keys, Fla., saying that at the instigation of the Spanish consul at Tampa he had seized, at a point twenty miles from Cedar Keys, 120 Remington rifles, a quantity of cartridges and eleven kegs of powder, which were to have been shipped to Cuba.

Our Government Cannot Interfere.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The state department is entirely without information as to the reported arrest in Germany of H. M. Romberg, of Decatur, Ind. It is not doubted that Consul Henry Robertson, at Hamburg, would act promptly for the protection of the rights of any American citizen. It is questionable whether, if the facts are as represented from Indiana, the case is one in which the United States government can interfere. Our treaty with Germany explicitly provides that natives of Germany shall not be absolved from crimes committed in that country by becoming naturalized Americans.

The Saloon War in Wichita.

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 31.—Wichita had two sets of patrolmen on some of the beats of the city last night, prohibition and anti-prohibition. The old policemen that were discharged demand their back pay, and the police commissioner not having money to pay them, they say they will stop work until a settlement is made. Heretofore the police were paid from the saloon revenue, and that failing on account of the enforcement of the prohibition law there are no funds.

Reorganizing the American Railway Union.

BUFFALO, Aug. 31.—Secret Organizer J. N. Concha has been in Buffalo for the last three months clandestinely organizing a branch of the A. R. U., and having had fair success, now declares that he has enrolled several hundred men, and that the local branch is one of the most promising in the country. Last year an attempt to form a union here proved unsuccessful.

Mr. Bissell Denies a Rumor.

MARION, Mass., Aug. 31.—Ex-Postmaster General Bissell has joined his family, who are spending the season here. Mr. Bissell says there is no truth whatever in the report that he has been offered the place on the United States supreme court bench made vacant by the death of Justice Jackson.

Fierce Fighting in the Congo State.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 31.—The Independence Bolge has information that there has been fighting between the forces of the Congo state and the Mahdists, in the district of Adda. Lieutenant Cassart and nineteen men were killed.

Elkins for Congress.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 31.—William L. Elkins, the traction magnate, has been announced as a candidate for congress in the Second district against Congressman "Bertie" Adams. Mr. Elkins is known as an anti-Quay man, while Congressman Adams took no apparent part in the recent fight.

France Gets Indemnity from China.

PARIS, Aug. 31.—Official advices received here are to the effect that the Chinese government has granted the French missions in the province of Sze Chuen an indemnity of 4,000,000 francs.

HARDIE IN CHICAGO.

Trades Unions Take No Interest in the English Socialist Agitator.

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—James Kier Hardie arrived in Chicago last night. He was warmly greeted by a committee and taken to the Great Northern Hotel. There in a banquet hall, filled with chairs, he talked for an hour to twenty-four persons, two of whom wore scarlet ribbon bows in their coats, and one of whom gave the agitator a big bunch of red roses tied with a scarlet ribbon. He said nothing either in his speech or interviews in any way different from what has already been published.

M. J. Carroll, editor of the Eight Hour Herald, the official organ of the Illinois State Federation of labor, says the trades unions of this city are not in sympathy with Mr. Hardie or his teachings, nor are they co-operating with the socialistic element here, who propose receiving and entertaining him.

CHOLERA IN HONOLULU.

Ravages of the Dread Disease Among the Natives and Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The steamer Monowai, which arrived last night from Australian ports, did not stop at Honolulu, as usual. When off that port the steamer was hailed by the American consul in a small boat, who announced that cholera had broken out in Honolulu. Among the natives and Chinese the cholera broke out soon after the steamer Belgica left on her last trip. It is presumed the disease was brought by that vessel. The Monowai did not enter Honolulu harbor, but steamed direct to San Francisco. Her passengers for Hawaii were brought here. There had been eight deaths from the disease among the natives and Chinese.

Death of North Carolina's State Secretary.

RALPH, Aug. 31.—Secretary of State Octavius Coke, after an illness of five weeks, died late yesterday afternoon. He had been gradually sinking for several days, and his death was not unexpected. Secretary Coke was born in Williamsburg, Va., in 1849. He served with gallantry in the Confederate army during the war, being twice wounded. He moved to Edenton, N. C., in 1891, where he practiced law until 1896, when he became a citizen of Raleigh. He was in 1872 a Democratic presidential elector. In 1884 he was a candidate against Scales for the nomination for governor. He was appointed secretary of state by Governor Fowle in 1891 upon the death of the late Colonel William L. Saunders and elected to the same position in 1892.

A Bomb for the Sheriff.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Aug. 31.—An attempt to kill Sheriff Morris and, possibly, blow up the Middlesex county jail was made yesterday. The sheriff received a brass cylinder in a jewelry box. On opening the box and finding the tube he had his deputy place it on the ground outside his office. A Rutgers college chemist was summoned, and he pronounced the thing a dynamite bomb of crude construction, but of force sufficient to kill or blow out the walls of the sheriff's office. It is believed that the bomb was sent by friends of David Barry, who is in jail for arson.

Poisoned by Impure Milk.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 31.—Dr. J. M. Osler, of Philadelphia, his wife and two children, Miss Helen Delavie, Mrs. Miller and her niece, Bertie Miller, are in camp at Glyndon, near this city, on the church camp meeting grounds. On Thursday Dr. Osler purchased a quantity of milk from a passing milkman. Soon after partaking of the fluid all were taken violently sick. Physicians were hastily summoned, and after working long and laboriously five of the party were brought out of danger. Dr. Osler and Miss Miller are still very ill.

Miners Oppose Steam Shovel.

ESPEMING, Mich., Aug. 31.—The miners' union has decided to oppose the operation of the steam shovel at the mines. The local shovelmen will not work, fearing molestation by the men of the union, and the company will send out aid for the shovelers. The different companies of the Fifth regiment, Michigan National Guard, are in readiness to come to Espeming on short notice in case their services are needed. The mine officials are very determined, and will operate the shovels regardless of consequences.

The Bell Will Go to Atlanta.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 31.—The city yesterday received the judicial consent to send the old Liberty Bell to the Atlanta exposition. President Judge Thayer, of common pleas court, delivered a decision dismissing the bill in equity recently filed by a number of prominent citizens against city officials. In this an injunction was asked to prevent the proposed trip, on the ground, among others, that it would be putting the bell to other than its proper and legitimate uses.

Killed His Wife with a Blow.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Edward O'Connor, a longshoreman, struck his wife with his fist while they were on the roof of the tenement house in which they lived. As she fell the woman's head struck a crossbeam, and she was instantly killed. O'Connor has the reputation of being a hard drinker and quarrelsome. The couple had five children, the eldest 11 years and the youngest 5 months old.

Toronto Club Suspends.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Manager Chapman, of the Toronto, became disgusted with the small attendance at Thursday's game with Springfield and refused to play yesterday. The game was given to Springfield by a score of 9 to 0. Mr. Chapman has taken his team back to Toronto, cancelling all the dates he had made in neighboring cities.

Alabama Coal Miners' Wages Increased.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 31.—The Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company has advanced the price of pig iron 50 cents per ton for all grades. Wages are accordingly advanced 2 1/2 cents per ton to coal miners. Coal mining in the Birmingham district is now at the highest price paid for three years.

SETTLERS TO BLAME

For the Recent Indian Troubles at Jackson's Hole.

THE INDIANS BRUTALLY TREATED

Arrested Without Cause, Induced to Make an Effort to Escape, and Then Fired Upon—Official Reports on the Affairs to the Department of Justice.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The department of justice has received from the district attorney and marshal of Wyoming the official reports of their investigation into the Bannock Indian troubles made by the direction of the attorney general. The reports are dated Aug. 21.

The district attorney for Wyoming reports:

"I have no doubt whatever that the killing of the Indian Timega, on or about the 15th of July, was an atrocious, outrageous and cold blooded murder, and that it was a murder perpetrated on the part of the constable, Manning, and his deputies in pursuance of a scheme and conspiracy on their part to prevent the Indians from exercising a right and privilege which is, in my opinion, very clearly guaranteed to them by the treaty before mentioned."

"Should the prosecution on the part of the United States be determined upon, it would be useless to commence it before a commissioner. As the law is now, we are bound to bring prisoners before the United States commissioner nearest to the place of arrest, and in this case it would be before Mr. Pettigrew, the commissioner at Marysville. I am informed that he is thoroughly in sympathy with the so called settlers in that region."

The deputy marshal's report says that after a careful investigation of the whole affair showing that the reports made by settlers charging the Indians with wholesale slaughter of game for wantonness or to secure the hides of the animals killed have been very much exaggerated.

"During my stay in Jackson's Hole," he says, "I visited many portions of the district and saw no evidences of such slaughter. Lieutenants Gardner, Parker and Jackson, of the Ninth United States cavalry, who conducted scouting parties of troops through all portions of Jackson's Hole, also found this to be the case."

"I spent some time inquiring into the causes for the unaccounted hostility of the Jackson's Hole people against the Indians. There was little or no complaint among the settlers of offensive manners on the part of the Indians. In no instance has there ever been a well authenticated case where a settler has been molested by an Indian."

"If the truth of the matter can be reached it will be found that the captors did not care particularly about getting their prisoners safely to Marysville, where the same formality of fining them and then having to let them escape would result, but on the contrary tempted the Indians to try to escape, first by making them believe they were to be sent to jail or hung, and then by leading them to believe they tried to escape their horses only, and not they, would be shot. When they made the attempt they were fired at, Timega being killed and another wounded."

"The killing of game by the Indians and by the increasing number of tourist hunters threatens to so deplete the region of big game, deer, elk, moose, etc., as to jeopardize the occupation of the professional guides at Jackson's Hole. It was decided at the close of last season to keep the Indians out of the region this year, and the events this summer are the results of carefully prepared plans."

"If a full investigation of the Jackson's Hole affair should be had the fact will be established that when Constable Manning and his posse of twenty-six settlers arrested a party of Indians on July 13 and started with them for Marysville he and his men did all they could to tempt the Indians to try to escape, in order that they might be a basis of justification for killing some of them."

"The whole affair was, I believe, a premeditated and prearranged plan to kill some Indians and thus stir up sufficient trouble to subsequently get United States troops into the region, and ultimately have the Indians shut out of Jackson's Hole. The plan was successfully carried out and the desired results obtained. It would, however, be but an act of simple justice to bring the men who murdered the Indian Timega to trial."

Two Fishermen Drowned.

GLOVESVILLE, N. Y., Aug. 31.—About 2 o'clock in the morning Sherman Fox and Theodore Bunnage, residents of Elmburg, N. Y., while returning to camp from a fishing excursion in the Adirondacks, near Batchelorville, lost their way and walked off a bank fifteen feet high into the Sacandaga river, and both were drowned. Their bodies were recovered.

A Wife Murderer's Suicide.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Aug. 31.—Patrick O'Way, 41 years old who killed his wife while she was asleep a week ago and gave himself up to the police, committed suicide at the county jail at Cranston. He was found hanging to the window of his cell by a rope which he had secured in some surreptitious manner. O'Way quarreled with his wife because she sat on the back stairs in the evening and talked with the neighbors, and when she went to sleep he took a revolver and shot her twice in the head, killing her instantly.

Independent Distillers Combine.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The independent distillers, after a conference lasting several days, have reached an understanding and formed an alliance for mutual protection. The object of the association is claimed to be not to raise prices, but to furnish the trade at the lowest cost of production. The companies represented are the Atlas of Pennsylvania; Globe and American Distributing company, of Pekin, Ill., and the Distributing company of New York.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

National League.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 8; Chicago, 6. At New York—New York, 11; Cincinnati, 4. At Brooklyn—Louisville, 8; Brooklyn, 5. At Baltimore—First game: Baltimore, 6; Pittsburgh, 1. Second game: Baltimore, 5; Pittsburgh, 0. At Boston—Cleveland, 5; Boston, 4. At Washington—First game: St. Louis, 6; Washington, 5. Second game (6 innings)—St. Louis, 5; Washington, 4.

Eastern League.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 5; Scranton, 3. At Rochester (11 innings)—Wilkesbarre, 8; Rochester, 7. At Syracuse—First game: Syracuse, 4; Providence, 2. Second game: Providence, 10; Syracuse, 4. At Schenectady (forfeited)—Springfield, 9; Toronto, 0.

Pennsylvania State League.

At Lancaster—Lancaster, 7; Carbondale, 8. At Reading (11 innings)—Hazleton, 8; Reading, 7.

Southern Railway Extension.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 31.—A number of prominent eastern and southern capitalists, largely interested in mineral properties in this district, today filed application in the office of the secretary of state at Montgomery for a charter for the Birmingham Western Railroad company. The new company will buy ten railroads about fifty miles in length, terminals and rolling stock of the Tennessee Coal and Iron and Railway company, and extend them from Brocton via Bessemer to Birmingham, thence northwestward, reaching very important mine and furnace within a radius of fifty miles of Birmingham. It is intended to form a complete network of mineral railroads and connect them with the Mobile and Ohio, which will build a line south into Alabama from Columbus, Miss.

Excursionists Killed in a Wreck.

MACON, Ga., Aug. 31.—An excursion train on the Southern railway, carrying the Knights of Pythias excursion from this city to Indian Springs for a picnic, left the track between Holton and Pope's Ferry. The baggage car and two passenger cars tumbled over. J. A. Kennedy, of this city, and Mrs. Hancock, of Americus, Ga., were killed, and almost every person in the two cars was hurt more or less seriously. Several of them are likely to die. There is no war of accounting for the accident as it is said the track was in perfect condition.

Suicide on a Railroad Train.

BUFFALO, Aug. 31.—R. T. Allen, of No. 559 South Twenty-third street, Omaha, Neb., shot himself this morning on a New York Central train a few miles out of Buffalo. He was traveling from New Jersey en route to Omaha. Allen and his wife and daughter recently came east to place the latter in the New York Conservatory of Music. Allen and his wife afterwards went to Littleton, N. J., where he temporarily acted as organist in one of the churches. Mrs. Allen is still here. No reason for the suicide is known.

Murder Mystery in Indiana.

ELLETTSBURG, Ind., Aug. 31.—John Harrington, a well known resident of Ellettsburg, was mysteriously shot and killed, and Mabel Moore received a flesh wound in the Indiana House yesterday. The woman was mistress of the house, and claims that burglars did the shooting after stealing \$250 in money and jewelry valued at \$500. Harrington and the woman had been a quarrelsome couple, and the latter the latter was arrested on the charge of murder.

Defendant Taylor Negs His Sentence.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 31.—The supreme court handed down a decision remanding ex-convict Frederick Taylor to the sheriff, who left with him for the penitentiary last night. The opinion was on the jurisdiction of the lower court in giving sentence in excess of the general embezzlement law. The court holds that the lower court did not exceed its jurisdiction; that after Taylor has served two years he can test the validity of the five year sentence.

Battle on a Fishing Boat.

LOVELLPORT, England, Aug. 31.—The Bezan traveler boat, which was fishing in the channel within the three-mile limit, was attacked by the English coast guard. The boatmen resisted with knives, axes, pump handles and other weapons, but were finally overpowered by the guard and driven into the hold of their vessel. The fight was a severe one, and several were wounded on both sides.

Suicide by Fire.

ELMTON, O., Aug. 31.—Mrs. Josiah Guess, aged 41 while suffering from temporary insanity, and lost the change of life, saturated the lining of three beds with coal oil and set fire to them looking for self in the heat and getting into one of the burning beds. Her husband carried her out through a window, but her body was burned to a crisp. She died soon after in terrible agony.

Lynn Shoemakers on Strike.

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 31.—All of the 600 lasters employed in the shoe factory of the Thomas G. Plant company, went on a strike yesterday. A meeting of the shoe workers has been called, and it is probable that some action will be taken by that body affecting other departments of the factory, which for the past year has been run as a free shop.

Those Alleged New Jersey Frauds.

TRENTON, Aug. 31.—Judge Conover yesterday granted a motion for a struck jury to try the case of the commonwealth vs. John L. Kuser, Emil Kuser, Otto Heintz and Charles F. Robinson for conspiracy to defraud the state in connection with the frauds of Furd. The trial of the case was fixed for Sept. 23.

Murdered His Sweetheart.

GLOVESVILLE, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Josef Zinnel, 25 years old, murdered his sweetheart, Terence Komorow, aged 22 years, at Johnston. He cut the girl's throat from ear to ear and then attempted to cut his own throat. He was arrested. Jealousy was the cause of the murder.

OUR CHOSEN DEFENDER

Formally Named to Compete with Valkyrie III.

VIGILANT AGAIN BADLY BEATEN.

The New Yacht Led by Over Five Minutes at the Finish, and Might Easily Have Made the Distance Between the Contestants Much Greater.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The third so called trial race between Defender and Vigilant, which took place yesterday, was a good deal of a farce. Defender won over a course of ten miles to windward and return by five minutes and twelve seconds, when she could have crossed the finish line anywhere from eight to ten minutes ahead of Vigilant if she had been sailed for all she was worth. The magnificent showing that Defender made on Thursday in all kinds of weather and on all points of sailing created so much enthusiasm that Mr. C. O. Iselin, the chief manager of the syndicate which built the yacht, may have come to the conclusion that the boat uncovered her qualities too much, and possibly he decided to pull back a little. Defender made a tack just before rounding the outer mark, which she would have had no occasion to do if she had been well handled, and which cost her a minute or more. In all the bearing down to the outer mark Defender was sailed with a rap full or more. No effort at any time was made to keep her pointed up to the wind. Vigilant, on the other hand, was sailed as she always is, in the most sportsmanlike manner.

On Thursday in a beat of eight miles, Defender beat Vigilant five minutes and five seconds; on a run before the wind the keel boat beat the centerboard over the same distance two minutes and thirteen seconds, when the wind was light. Yesterday, when there was a good breeze at the start, ten miles an hour, which increased a couple of miles before the racers turned the outer mark, Defender in a ten mile leg beat Vigilant only five minutes and twenty-two seconds; and on the run home before the wind, during which there was never less than an eighteen knot breeze, Vigilant picked up ten seconds. On Thursday the water was as smooth as a mill pond, while yesterday there was no sea that could be called heavy or even choppy.

The preparatory whistle was blown promptly at 11 o'clock. The signal to start was blown ten minutes later. After crossing the line on the starboard tack Vigilant was the first to come about. Defender went in stays, too, and although she came up into the wind five or six seconds later than Vigilant, she was fully on the other tack before the centerboarder. When both boats had come around to the port tack Defender was nearly a sixteenth of a mile ahead in the first five minutes of the race. At 11:29 Vigilant went about again, and Defender followed suit instantly.

The breeze freshened to about twelve knots an hour at this time, and both racers felt it simultaneously. They stood on a long board, and it was not until 12:01 that Defender came about. Vigilant remained on the same tack until 12:03. Ten minutes later Defender came around to the starboard and crossed Vigilant's bow. She stood on that tack for three minutes and then came about to port well on Vigilant's weather bow, and stood down for the outer mark. It looked as though she could have made the mark, but she did not. She made a couple of tacks before rounding. Vigilant made a good long tack to port and then came about to stand well over to the eastward. Her next tack fetched her around the mark with ease.

Defender was then five minutes and twenty-two seconds ahead. She gibed over and prepared for her run before the wind home. But that preparation, which included the setting of the spinnaker and the balloon jib topsail, was perfected in a very slow manner. Then came the run home before the wind.

In view of Defender's great work on Thursday, on a run before the wind, many people thought she would beat Vigilant yesterday. On the contrary, Vigilant gained ten seconds on her, and Defender was the winner by five minutes and twelve seconds, as the following official time table will show.

	Start.	Outer	Elapsed
Defender	11:10:08	12:47:25	2:37:17
Vigilant	11:10:08	12:54:42	2:44:34

The racers had not proceeded a mile on their course when the English yacht Valkyrie loomed up to the northward, beating down from the point of Sandy Hook. She was never nearer to the Vigilant than five miles; but even at that distance it could be seen that the challenger lacked up a good deal of fuss in the water. Valkyrie did not come near Defender and Vigilant until the very close of the race, when she drew up to the finish line and witnessed the Defender's success.

The America's cup committee formally decided at a meeting held on the committee's boat last evening that they had selected Defender to meet Valkyrie for the America's cup.

Sir Knights Leave Boston.

BOSTON, Aug. 31.—The twenty-sixth triennial convocation of the Knights Templar is a thing of the past. The Grand Encampment wound up its business yesterday, installed its officers, and the last good-bys are now being said, and thousands of Sir Knights are leaving for their distant homes. Before adjournment the Grand Encampment decided to make Washington the headquarters of the Knights Templar, and after 1898, if no invitation is received from another place, the triennial convocation will be held in that city. The new grand master, Most Eminent Sir Warren Larue Thomas, has appointed the following officers: Grand prelate, Cornelius Twigg of New York; grand standard bearer, Thomas O'Morris of Tennessee; grand sword bearer, Edgar S. Dudley of Nebraska; grand warder, Joseph A. Locke of Maine; grand captain of the guard, Frank H. Thomas of Washington.



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It is excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidney, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

CASINO THEATRE

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Saturday Ev'g, Aug. 31.

THE LAUGHING SUCCESS,

O'Hooligan's

Masquerade!

introducing the celebrated comedians,

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Monday Ev'g, Sept. 2d.

The favorite Irish comedian,

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in his magnificent production of the new Irish play,

THE WICKLOW

POSTMAN.

SEE Expensive electrical effects, new and elegant scenery, new Irish specialties and latest songs of the day.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

To Be Held in this City Next Week.

The public is cordially invited to attend all the meetings of the County Convention of the W. C. T. U., which opens, Tuesday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, in St. Paul's M. E. Church, Mrs. Washington, county president, will then give an address, and in the evening Mrs. Fessenden, State President of Massachusetts, will deliver a lecture, "The Responsibility of the Government for the Liquor Traffic."

Persons who are willing to take delegates over night will please hand in their names and addresses.

W. C. T. U. ELECTION.

Officers Chosen to serve for the ensuing year.

The following persons have been elected to serve as officers of the Middletown W. C. T. U. for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Mary F. Groo.
First Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Anna S. Van Fleet.

Second Vice-Pres.—Mrs. R. D. Southwell.

Third Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Sarah Wood.

Fourth Vice-Pres.—Mrs. J. C. Miller.

Treas.—Mrs. Harriet E. Clark.
Rec. Sec'y.—Mrs. Frank E. Burr.

Cor.—Mrs. A. E. Ludington.

O'HOOIGAN'S MASQUERADE.

To-night's Laugh-Creating Attraction at the Casino

Gilgaher and West and W. B. Watson are the stars of farce comedy in "O'Hooligan's Masquerade," and fun, fast and furious, is the result. No funnier scene than the masquerade has ever been seen and audiences attest their approval by loud and frequent applause. The musical selections are very attractive, while the comedy is gorgeously mounted in costume and mechanical effects. "O'Hooligan's Masquerade" will be played at the Casino, this evening.

"THE WICKLOW POSTMAN."

A Strong Play and a Good Company at the Casino, Monday Evening.

Eugene O'Rourke, who appears at the Casino, Monday evening, in the big scenic production of "The Wicklow Postman," has in the past ten years been principal comedian in nearly all the big opera and burlesque productions which were first presented in New York or Boston. Irish comedy is his forte, and with the support of clever Bettina Gerard and a good company he is making his mark as a star of the first magnitude.

The Tramp Nuisance Along the O. and W.

The tramp nuisance along the Ontario and Western is becoming unendurable. Their ostensible destination is the hop fields, but the growers will not employ these vagrants, if any other help is obtainable and very few of them really want work. They overrun the villages along the line of the O. and W. and are a menace to person and property, since in no place is there a police force large enough to cope with the army of tramps. At Walton, Sunday night, seventy tramps, by actual count, boarded a north bound freight.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of the Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

—Old School Baptist Church—Preaching at 10 p. m. by the pastor, Elder Benja. Jenkins.

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THE ACADEMY'S NEW QUARTERS.

How the Free Christian Church Has Been Fitted Up for Temporary Occupancy.

The old Walkhill Academy building having been condemned by builders and architects, and therefore abandoned as unsafe, the Board of Education has fitted up temporary quarters for the academic and grammar school pupils in the Free Christian Church building on Wickham avenue, which it has leased for a year, with the privilege of renewal if longer occupancy is desired. The second floor has been seated as an assembly room, with accommodations for 230 pupils. Here the pupils of the academic grade will assemble morning and noon and from there will be sent to the various recitation rooms, of which there are six, partitioned off on the first floor. Each of these rooms will accommodate from twenty-five to thirty pupils. There is also, on the first floor, a large room set apart for the use of grammar grade scholars.

In the rear of the basement two large, light and well ventilated rooms have been fitted up for the use of primary grade pupils with accommodations for from eighty to 100. The building is furnished with the desks, seats and other school furniture and apparatus taken from the old Academy.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Industries Doing Better Than Anybody Expected, with Prospects Brightening.

New York, Aug. 31.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: Improvement in markets and prices continues, and where a few months ago everybody was nursing the fantastic hopes of recovery, it has now come to be the only question as to what branches if any the rise in prices and the increase in business may go too far. A strong conservative feeling is finding expression, not as yet controlling the markets or industries, but warning against too rapid expansion and rise.

In some directions the advance in prices clearly checks future business. But encouraging features have great power. Exports of gold continue, but are met by syndicate deposits and expected to cease soon. Crop prospects except for cotton, have somewhat improved during the week.

Labor troubles are for the moment less threatening and some of importance have been definitely settled. The industries are not only doing better than anybody had expected, but are counting upon a great business for the rest of the year.

Failures for the week have been 150 in the United States, against 190 for the same week last year, and 43 in Canada, against 49 last year.

Bradstreet's review says: The concluding week of August surprises even the more optimistic with a striking increase in the volume of business with jobbers in staple lines at such centers as New York, Baltimore, Boston, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and to a moderate extent at distributing points in south Atlantic and Gulf states, among them Charleston, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Savannah, Jacksonville, Birmingham and Dallas. In dry goods, millinery, shoes, hats, clothing and groceries the autumn demand is making itself felt with the prospect for a further improvement in immediately succeeding weeks.

Robert Toman's Body Recovered.

SOUTH BAY, N. J., Aug. 31.—The body of Robert W. Toman, who was drowned from his yacht Admire after a collision with the steamer Perseus Monday night, was found on the beach at this place last evening. There was no trouble about identification in the clothing and jewelry were fully described in the circulars spread broadcast, and moreover there were letters in the pockets addressed to Toman. The coroner of Stapleton, N. J., removed the remains to the morgue in 50 p. m., where an examination by a physician discovered a wound on the forehead, from which blood was oozing when he jumped into the water when the Perseus struck his yacht and it is thought was caused by a blow on the head by the paddlewheel of the steamer. A gold watch on one cover of which was Toman's monogram, two diamond rings, several club pins and \$75 in money were in the corpse.

A Well Known Iron Man Killed.

CELESTINE, Ga., Aug. 31.—Colonel W. L. Hickman, general manager of the North Georgia Mining company, was killed while riding on the tender of an ore train on a branch road. He was absorbed in watching his little son, who was on the tender, and did not notice a water tank which hit the train, was approaching. His head hit the tank and he was knocked off and killed. Colonel Hickman was widely known in the iron trade.

Reported Big Gold Strikers Confirmed.

DETROIT, Aug. 31.—Senator James P. Gilmore, of Montrose county, confirms the report of recent important gold discoveries in Navajo basin, San Miguel county, a big strike having been made in the Sweetwater mine, operated by his sons. The strike is much larger than the one made in Silver Peak two years ago. In two years the latter has steadily paid from \$100,000 to \$250,000 per month in dividends.

Catarrrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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If you are incurable they will tell you; therefore invalids must not take offense if they are rejected, as no case will be accepted unless there is a moral certainty of a cure being effected. These doctors are graduates of the best universities of Europe and America; they are of the highest standing in the medical profession and have had unlimited experience in the treatment of all Chronic Diseases and Deformities. As the latest methods, instruments and appliances of the various schools of both the Old and the New World are familiar to and at the command of this staff of doctors, it is reasonable to believe that in ninety cases out of every hundred a cure can be effected, even when the patients have been given up as incurable by doctors who have had less experience. Do not be discouraged because your doctor cannot give you relief, or even if he tells you that you cannot get well, for it matters not what your disease may be, if incurable, they will give you such advice as will tend to prolong life and afford you the greatest relief.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 31, 1895.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the State of New York are requested to unite in sending three delegates and three alternates from each Assembly district to a State convention, to be held at Syracuse on Tuesday, Sept. 24th, 1895, at 10 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be voted for at the ensuing general election, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Attest: JOHN B. JUDSON, Secretary.

The Republican convention to choose delegates to represent this Assembly district in the State convention will be held at Goshen, Sept. 12th.

The Right Rev. Wm. Croswell Doane, Bishop of Albany, thoughtfully discusses woman suffrage in the September number of the *North American Review* and gives many reasons "Why women do not want the ballot."

Dun's Review, which refused to see any evidences of returning prosperity until long after the business horizon was bright with promise, now acknowledges that "the industries are not only doing better than anybody had expected, but are counting upon a great business for the rest of the year." It also says:

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Walter Wellman, in the *Chicago Times-Herald* quotes one of the managers of the campaign of 1888 as saying that it cost \$2,000,000 to carry Indiana for Harrison. This money was raised in the West by the local managers of the Harrison campaign. The national committee, by "frying the fat" out of manufacturers, panic stricken at the possibility of tariff reduction, raised nearly \$4,000,000 in the New England and Middle States, and the greater part of this enormous sum was corruptly spent on election day. The campaign of 1888 was the top notch of Republican corruption, for in 1892 the manufacturers could not be frightened into contributing to the campaign fund, for they did not dream that the people could take from them what they had bought at so great a price four years before.

There is every reason for believing that when Congress meets in December the Republican leaders will bitterly regret their folly in recklessly committing their party, last year, to a policy of continued tariff agitation. While the country was prostrate under widespread business depression, it was easy to ascribe every ill to the "ruin" wrought by tariff reductions, but the wonderful revival of business within the past few months, under, and largely in consequence of the beneficent workings of the Democratic tariff, has entirely changed the situation. Instead of sympathizing with agitation of the tariff question every manufacturing and business interest is anxious that well enough should be left alone, and the toilers in every branch of industry are too busy and too contented to be again beguiled by fairy tales of the blessings of protection. Consistency, however, requires that the Republican Congress should make a show at tariff tinkering. Democrats can meet the tariff issue on solid ground. Every promise and prediction made by the advocates of tariff reform has been fulfilled under the Wilson-Gorman tariff and so firm and stable and abiding seems to be the prosperity that has come with the new tariff that there is reason for hoping that the agitation of the tariff question by schemers for partisan advantage will have no serious effect on business conditions and prospects.

Special Excursion Rates to Fair.

On account of the New Jersey State Fair at Waverly, N. J., the Erie will sell round trip tickets to Newark for \$2.25 on Sept. 2nd to 6th inclusive, good to return on or before Sept. 7th.

On account of the Orange county fair the Erie will sell excursion tickets to Newburgh, on Sept. 16th to 20th inclusive at 58 cents round trip, good to return on or before Sept. 21st. A special train will be run from Middletown to Newburgh and return on Sept. 18th and 19th making all intermediate stops to Newburgh.

White People This Time.

A large excursion from Paterson is booked for Midway Park, on Monday. This will be a party of white people.

Cholera morbus is a dangerous complaint, and often is fatal in its results. To avoid this you should use DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure, as soon as the first symptoms appear. W. D. Olney.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE OUTBREAK OF ANTHRAX.

The State Agricultural Department Will Make Efforts to Check the Disease.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Aug. 31.—Replying to the British Vice Consul at New York, the State Agricultural Department states that a number of cases of anthrax have occurred in Sullivan, Delaware, Chenango, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Wyoming and Lewis counties; that every effort will be made to check the disease, and that its existence is due chiefly to the extremely dry weather.

A VERY STORMY PASSAGE.

The Rhynland Buffered by Very Heavy Storms.

BY UNITED PRESS.

QUEENSTOWN, Aug. 30.—The steamer Rhynland, which arrived, to-day, from Philadelphia, reports an extremely stormy passage. The first of the storms was encountered Sunday, and lasted three days. The steamer labored heavily, shipping much water and greatly alarming passengers.

A JEALOUS WOMAN'S CRIME.

Shoots Her Lover and His Companion in a Carriage Ride.

BY UNITED PRESS.

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 31.—Henry Bolling and Rosa Swearingen were fatally shot, last night, by Dora Heilwell. Bolling took the Swearingen woman buggy riding, and Miss Heilwell followed in another buggy, and overtaking the pair shot them. Jealousy was the cause.

THE BIG YACHTS.

Defender Trying Her New Steel Boom and the Valkyrie Overhauling Her Spars.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The Defender shipped her new steel boom and gaff, last night, and, this morning, went outside for a spin. The hull of the Defender was examined and found to be in good condition. The Valkyrie is in the bay and her spars are being overhauled.

CHOLERA IN RUSSIA.

BY UNITED PRESS.

VLADIVOSTOK, Aug. 31.—Cholera is prevalent here.

The Volks Fest on Labor Day.

The Volks Fest at Maennerchor Park, Monday, will be an event of no little interest to all lovers of genuine recreation. The management has made every possible preparation to insure the success of the Fest. Full information concerning it will be found in an advertisement in another column.

A Whist Party.

Miss Grace Wales entertained a number of her friends at whist last evening at her pleasant home on Wickham avenue. The tables were placed on the veranda, which was enclosed with canvas.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT.

JAS. F. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North Street, Middletown, N. Y., Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, Aug. 31, '95.

	Close	Close
Sugar	110 1/4	111
C. & S. F.	20 1/4	20 1/4
O. & S. F.	91	91 1/4
Chicago Gas	58 1/4	64 1/4
L. & W.	21 1/4	21 1/4
E. & O. C. F.	9 1/4	9 1/4
General Electric	37 1/4	37 1/4
L. & N.	63 1/4	61
N. Y. C.	131 1/4	131 1/4
N. Y. & N. E.	35 1/4	35 1/4
N. W.	104 1/4	104 1/4
Susquehanna & Western	102 1/4	102 1/4
Susquehanna & West. pref.	104 1/4	104 1/4
D. & W.	114 1/4	114 1/4
Manhattan	114 1/4	114 1/4
Southern Ry.	114 1/4	114 1/4
R. I.	114 1/4	114 1/4
D. M. & S. F.	114 1/4	114 1/4
D. P.	114 1/4	114 1/4
W. U. N.	114 1/4	114 1/4
Nat. Lead	34 1/4	34 1/4
Dec Wheat	34 1/4	34 1/4
Dec Corn	34 1/4	34 1/4
May Oats	34 1/4	34 1/4
Jan Pork	42 1/4	42 1/4
Jan Lard	42 1/4	42 1/4

What Shall I Do?

Is the earnest, almost agonizing cry of weak, tired, nervous women, and crowded, overworked, struggling men. Slight difficulties, ordinary cares, household work or daily labor, magnify themselves into seemingly impassable mountains.

This is simply because the nerves are weak, the bodily organs debilitated, and they do not

Take

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Newburgh's Fire Department Fund.

The treasurer of the Newburgh Fire Department in his annual report shows that the fund has reached a total of \$21,202.19.

During the year \$532 was paid for relief to injured firemen and \$1,125 was divided among the several companies.

The condition of the fund is as follows:

Water bond city Newburgh \$ 1,000 00
Bond and mortgages..... 13,500 00
Real estate..... 4,437 31
Cash on hand..... 2,264 88

Total.....\$21,202 19

Walton's New Armory.

The Walton Reporter publishes a cut of the new armory to be erected for the 33d Separate Company in that village. The design is a very handsome one and seems to justify the Reporter's boast that the armory will be the finest of its size in the State.

Grove Meeting at Cleveland Park.

Rev. J. H. Nichols, of Bethel Church, will hold a grove meeting in Cleveland Park, at the northern terminus of the trolley line, Sunday, Sept. 1st. A jubilee troupe has promised to be in attendance.

A Fireman Falls From His Engine.

Fireman John Padien, of the Erie, fell from his engine in the Port Jervis yard, Thursday night, and was struck by a yard engine on another track and hurled against the cars of his own train. He sustained fractures of the right hip and of the bones back of the ear, and his whole body was badly bruised.

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DIED.

BABCOCK.—In the town of Hamptonburgh, Aug. 30th, '95, by accident, Jacob Lee Babcock, in his twenty-second year.

Brief funeral services will be held Saturday evening at seven o'clock at the residence of his father, No. 41 Beattie avenue.

Remains will be taken to Livingston Manor, Sunday morning, leaving Wickham avenue station at 7:50 a. m., where the funeral will be held at the church at two o'clock.

QUINN.—In this city, Aug. 30th, '95, James Quinn, widow of the late James Quinn, aged fifty-eight years, nine months, sixteen days.

Funeral private, Sunday, 10 o'clock. Intimate friends and neighbors are invited to attend.

Interment in Hillside Cemetery. Those wishing to view the remains can do so by calling at the house between the hours of ten and twelve, on Sunday.

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One case fawn colored Blankets at 50c each. They are both extra values.

New Dress Goods now ready. See us for Dry Goods and save money.

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FALL ANNOUNCEMENT!

Fall Hats! - - Fall Hats!

All the new blocks—Defender, Youmans and our famous soft band hat.

FALL CLOTHING ARRIVING!

Merchant Tailoring Department.

We have just received a large invoice of Cloths, of foreign and domestic manufacture. Now is the time to make your selections and have your suit, overcoat or extra trousers ready when you need them. All are invited to call.

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IN THE

Prices of Domestic Dry Goods

is the natural result of prosperity in manufactures. Increased demand, increased wages, result, an advance in prices.

We are still selling all classes of goods at the old low rates, in many cases even lower than formerly.

Examine our

Chambray Gingham at 6 cts., worth 10c.

Best standard Prints at 5 cents, worth 6c.

Yard wide Sheet at 5 cents, worth 6c.

Also the various lines of India Twills at 10c., Plaid Crinkles at 7 1/2c., Turkey Red Prints at 6c. The qualities will surprise buyers.

We are selling out all our Ladies' Waist, soft and laundered, below cost, which means a great bargain.

We are opening our new Fall Dress Goods. First lot—1 case all wool Assabet Suitings \$3.49 per dress. See our window; all kinds of Linings.

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BUY A HOME ON EASY TERMS THIS WEEK. THE

Real Estate Exchange, No. 65 South Street,

will sell this one 8-room house, N. 10th End, \$1,200, \$300 down, balance in small monthly payments; one 6-room house, new, one block from G and Avenue, \$1,500, \$450 down, balance \$12 a month, must be sold this month, "the worth \$1,200." It meets in every part of city, in terms to suit you. Prices from \$1,100 to \$6,500. Farms, city property to trade for farms. Grocery, hotel, horse, light wagon, sleigh and car, new to trade for lot; an undertaking outfit. Homes built to order. Come and see. L. W. OAKR, Broker, Promoter and Organizer of Corporations.

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Fall Hats.

We have our full stock of fall hats now ready for you. They are in all the latest blocks.

Derbys from 98c upward; genuine fur Alpine hats at 98 cents, worth \$1.50

Fall Neckwear.

In this department we have our fall lines now in stock. By a favorable turn in the market, we are able to sell the regular fifty cent ties for twenty-five cents each.

They comprise club ties, four-in-hands, tecks, shield bows and band bows.

SAMUEL LIPFELD,

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BUTTERMILK AND

Glycerine Soap

5c. A CAKE.

If you want the best, use Palmer's Perfumes.

CITY PHARMACY.

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A nice new dwelling that will pay 12 per cent. on investment

4 fine building lots, new cottage near Wickham avenue depot, all improvements. A bargain.

Cottage on Beacon Terrace cheap.

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SCHOOL TIME.

School time is near at hand.

Your boys may need a Suit, Pants, Hat, Cap, Waist or Shirt. We have got some good bargains. Ask to see the Mrs. Hopkins' Star make double seat and knee pants, good wearing cloth, only 50c.

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With a Hop, Skip and Jump

the Middletown school boy goes on his way instead of creeping like a snail, as in Shakespeare's time.

Cause—He buys his books, pads, pencils and other things of us. He knows he selects from the largest stock of the kind in the city, and is getting the newest and best things.

His parents are pleased too, because we buy and sell second-hand School Books.

Lot of Packing Boxes for sale cheap.

Hanford & Horton,

6 North Street.

If I Can Save You Money

on your purchase, and give you excellent

WEARING QUALITIES!

AND

Good, Honest Satisfaction,

then you will never regret the purchase of either

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We Will Offer Until Sold

25 DOZEN BOYS' SHIRT WAISTS,

laundered and unlaundered,

For 50c. and 60c.

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White China for Decorating

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Do you know you can buy Decorated China Dinner and Tea Sets at the C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.'s cheaper than in New York city.

Do you know we have 100 gross of Fruit Jars that we want to sell.

Do you know that it is wrong for you to go to New York city to buy Furniture, Carpets or Crockery until you have looked through our mammoth stock and learned our cut prices.

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NOT A BIT OF IT!

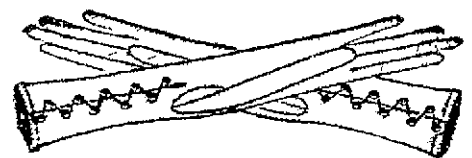
Good things ought to ripen all the year—they do in our Old Reliable Soda Fountain—it's as popular as ever, the Syrups are as fresh and fruity, the Ice Cream as rich—the Vanilla continues to teach people what real Vanilla is.

McMonagle & Rogers, Drug-gists.

WHO IS WEARING FRESH
VIOLETS?

You detect the scent of Violets and look to see who is wearing them. The chances are that you see no violets, and if the truth was known, it's only our exquisite Italian Violet Extract on some passerby. It's the latest sensation in perfume.

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WHITE CHAMOIS GLOVES for Summer wear—and we have them in 4-BUTTON and 6-BUTTON MOUSQ. at prices that sell them.

Full stock of 6-BUTTON BIARRITZ in WHITE, PEARL and CANARY color, both black and self-stitching at \$1.00 a pair and warranted.

"Kayer Patent Finger Tipped" Silk Gloves are the kind that don't wear out; every color at 50c a pair. Also long Silk Gloves and Mitts at 50c and 75c a pair.

Full line of AMSTERDAM SILK MITTS from 25c to 50c a pair.

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THE ARGUS.

OPEN EVENINGS.
THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL MIDNIGHT.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.
BY UNITED PRESS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 31.—Showers, followed by fair, cooler, southerly winds, becoming northwesterly.

THE TEMPERATURE.
The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 68°; 12 m., 72°; 3 p. m., 71°.

No Paper Monday.
Monday being Labor Day and a legal holiday no paper will be issued from this office.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
—Girl wanted at the Russell House.
—Members of B. R. T. are requested to attend funeral of J. L. Babcock.
—Boy wanted at this office.
—Peaches, wholesale and retail, at East Main street.
—Parcel post.
—Wedding and anniversary presents at C. J. Giering's.
—Unveiling soldiers' monument, at Newburgh, Sept. 21.
—Good school shoes at up at Chas. D. Hancock's.
—A Genuine Gentleman, at the Casino.
—Mixed aprons at Trull's Emporium.
—Carpet and rug sale at Matthews & Co's.
—Ladies' and children's shoes 5 cents at L. Stern's.
—Fall capes, jackets and hats at the New Ideal.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.
—Additional local matter will be found on third page.
—The schools will reopen Tuesday.
—Volks Fest at Mannerchor Park, Monday.
—The barber shops will close at noon on Labor Day.
—"O'Hooligan's Masquerade" at the Casino, to-night.
—City Clerk Hamilton had collected up to noon, to-day, \$21,231.25 of the city taxes.
—Macy from this city will attend the races at Goshen, Monday afternoon.

—Work is progressing rapidly on Eagle's bowling alleys and they will be ready for use early next week.
—"O'Hooligan's Masquerade" at the Casino, to-night, will be one of the funniest of the season.
—The post office will close Monday (Labor Day) at 11 a. m., but will be open in the evening from 7 to 8 o'clock.
—"The Wicklow Postman" at the Casino, Monday night will be an excellent performance and should have a good audience.
—Miss Hattie Van Gordon died in St. Luke's Hospital, Newburgh, yesterday morning, after an operation for appendicitis.
—"The Stowaway" will be well produced at the Casino, Tuesday evening, and will undoubtedly be greeted with a large audience.
—A five-foot blacksnake which has taken up its quarters in the cellar wall of a house in Honesdale is making life more interesting than pleasant for the occupants of the house.

PERSONAL.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tice returned last night from Asbury Park.
—Mr. Levi Turner, of Woodhull, Ill., is visiting at Mrs. E. Wilkin's, 233 Academy avenue.
—Engineer John Welsh, of Matamoras, is running the engine of the Crawford train.
—Miss Carrie Barrett, of Walden, is visiting her friend, Miss Jessie Smith, on North street.
—Miss Kate Osborn, of Oxford, Conn., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Norris.
—Mrs. R. C. Gillespie, who has been visiting her parents at Searsville, will return home, Monday.
—Mr. and Mrs. Abram Pettit left town, this morning, for a visit to friends at Baldwin's Long Island.
—Messrs. John H. and Ernest A. Burch went to Bridgeport, Conn., to-day, to spend Sunday with friends.
—Miss Lottie Van Gordon, a native of this county, died in South Waverly, Monday, in her ninety-ninth year.
—The many friends of Mr. Harman Miller will be pleased to know that he is somewhat better to-day, and hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

—The Butler, N. J., Argus says that Miss Edith Post, of Newfoundland, is visiting friends in this city.
—Mr. William Conkling formerly an employee of the saw works, in this city, but now of Disston's shops in Philadelphia, is in town visiting friends and relatives.

—Mr. Thos. K. DeWitt and family, returned, last evening, from Atlantic City, where they have been spending several weeks.

—Mr. U. T. Hayes has engaged passage on the St. Louis, and will sail, next Wednesday, for a six weeks' trip abroad, in which business and pleasure will be combined.
—Miss Gertrude Brodhead has returned home after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Hoik Campbell in Middletown. She was accompanied by her nephew, Hoik, Jr.

—Prof. H. R. Sanford, formerly Superintendent of the Middletown schools, now one of the State conductors of teachers' institutes, has just returned from a trip to Mexico, where he studied the physical features of the country and the ways of its people and took a large number of photographs which he will use in

Illustrated lectures in connection with his text book work.

—Mr. and Mrs. Byron Morgans, of New York, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

—Motorman Ballantine, who had his leg injured in the collision in the park, last week, will go to work Monday in the power house, where he was employed some time before taking the position of motorman.

OBITUARY.

Caleb Merritt.

Mr. Caleb Merritt, one of Newburgh's oldest business men and next to the oldest fireman in the city, died yesterday morning. Had he lived until next month he would have been seventy-nine years old. He is survived by a son and daughter.

George Kimball.

Mr. George Kimball, a well known civil engineer of Newburgh, died yesterday, of paralysis of the brain, aged forty-eight years. He was unmarried and was the last of his family.

THE FUNERAL OF J. L. BABCOCK.
To be held at Livingston Manor—Brief services this evening.

Brief services will be held, this evening, over the remains of Mr. Jacob Lee Babcock, who was killed at Campbell Hall, yesterday, at the residence of his parents on Beattie avenue, at 7 o'clock, at which Rev. Dr. W. A. Robinson will officiate.

The body will be taken to Livingston Manor to-morrow, where the funeral will take place at the church of which he was a member.

Judge No. 40, B. of T., of which he was a member, will attend the funeral in a body, and will go to Livingston Manor in a special car.

Mrs. Babcock was so prostrated by the terrible news, yesterday, that she was unable to come to town city. She arrived this morning, and will accompany the remains to their last resting place, to-morrow.

MAKE MISANCS OF THEMSELVES

Boys Who Congregate on the Steps of the Old Academy

Complaint is made that eight boys make a practice of congregating on the front steps of the old academy, mornings and afternoons, and annoying residents of the vicinity by their boisterous conduct, while passers by are forced to listen to their insulting remarks. The boys are all provided with cigarettes and novels. They belong to respectable families and their parents are, of course, unaware of their hoodluminous practices. If the nuisance continues the police will be asked to abate it.

O AND W. TIME TABLE CHANGES

The Season of Summer Travel Is Over and Summer Trains Will Soon Be Withdrawn.

The Ontario and Western railroad's summer time table will be changed as follows:
The Saturday half holiday train will make its last trip out of New York, Saturday, Sept. 7th.

Train No. 18, will make its last trip down on Sunday, Sept. 8.
Trains No. 15 and 16 will make their last trips, Saturday, Sept. 7.

Trains No. 3 and 4 will make their last trips, Saturday, Sept. 14th.

Fullman drawing room cars on trains 1 and 2 will make their last trip up on Saturday, Sept. 21st and down on Monday, Sept. 23rd.

Zion Church Camp Meeting at Johnson
The Zion Church camp meeting at Johnson will come to an end, to-morrow evening. A grand jubilee concert, with plantation melodies, will be given, this (Saturday) evening, to which an admission of five cents will be charged. The Sunday services will be; song service at 10.30 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m., 3 and 7 p. m.

Made Two Attempts at Suicide.

John W. Folson, a weaver of Newburgh, aged 30 years, made two attempts at suicide, Thursday night, by throwing himself in Taggart's pond. He was arrested and two physicians who examined him, yesterday, pronounced him insane. He will probably be placed in the State Hospital in this city.

After the Summer Vacation.

The first communication of Hoffman Lodge, No. 412, for the season of '95-6 will be held Tuesday evening, Sept. 3. Midland Chapter will hold its first meeting, Monday evening, Sept. 16.

A Clambake at New Vernon.

A large party of Middletowners will visit New Vernon, on Monday afternoon, to partake of Mr. N. W. Beyea's clambake, which will be served on the lawn of his residence at 5 o'clock.

Base Ball Notes.

Newburgh defeated Walden on the latter's grounds, yesterday, by a score of 18 to 8.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fever, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c. and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., N.Y.

THE CITY RUNNING ITSELF.

The Mayor and Acting Mayor Both Out of Town—No Money for City Employees.

The city of Middletown is without an executive head. Mayor Stansbury has "taken to the woods" and President of the Council Dorrance, who, in the absence of the Mayor, was Acting-Mayor, has gone fishing or hunting in the vicinity of Easton, Pa. The charter makes no provision for an executive in the absence of both Mayor and President of the Council and, therefore, the city is left to run itself.

It seems to be "getting along pretty well. I thank you." The only trouble is that there is no way of getting any money out of the treasury and the police, street force and other employees who ought to have been paid to-night will have to go without their wages.

Later.—City Clerk Hamilton, taking a hint from Secretary of War Leamont, this afternoon, advanced the money to pay some of the most pressing bills.

NO TRUTH IN THE STORY.

That a Young Woman Was Assaulted by a Negro Near Goshen.

A story was current in Goshen, yesterday, that a young woman from New York, while picking flowers near Ryerson's bridge on the outskirts of the village, had been assaulted by a burly negro who escaped up the railroad track. The young woman was said to have taken the first train back to the city.

Our Goshen correspondent, and a reporter sent to Goshen to assist in learning the facts, after full investigation have been able to trace the story to no responsible source. The police have heard nothing of the matter, no one in the vicinity of Ryerson's bridge knows anything about it and the story when followed back comes to a dead halt at a man who seems to have been the first to tell it and who says he heard it on the street.

The Goshen-Florida Ball Game.

The game of ball between the Goshens and Floridas, for \$220, championship of Orange county and "blood," is scheduled to take place at Goshen, this afternoon, rain or shine. Many Middletowners had planned to attend, but most of them remained at home, not caring to see a game played in the rain.

At the end of the 2nd inning the score was 8 to 0 in favor of Goshen.

Two Surprise Parties.

About forty of the friends of Miss Rena Faulkner gave her a pleasant surprise at her home on Mill street, last evening. The evening was very pleasantly spent in various social amusements.

Miss May, the nine-year-old daughter of Mr. Philip Gorr, was given a surprise by about twenty of her little friends, at 3 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, at her home, No. 41 Benjamin street.

The Ladies' Bowling Clubs and the Armory Fair.

The members of the several ladies' bowling clubs, that used the Armory alleys, last winter, met with the Fair Committee of the 24th Separate Company, yesterday afternoon. The ladies are enthusiastic over the event, and a meeting will be held by them at the Armory, Tuesday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, when a distribution of booths will be made and committees placed in charge.

A Pittable Case.

Mary Conkling, a young woman living at Shin Hollow, was taken to Orange Farm by Poormaster Troy, of Port Jervis, yesterday. She is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism and had no one to care for her, her father and two brothers refusing to have anything to do with her.

A Hearts Party.

Mr. Frank Finn very pleasantly entertained some thirty of his friends, last night, at a hearts party. The ladies' prize, a bon bon spoon, was won by Miss Edith Royce and the gentlemen's prize, a paper cutter, by Mr. Eugene Harding.

Life Insurance Paid.

The Industrial Benefit Association paid, yesterday, through its superintendent in this city to Mrs. John Ryder, of Campbell Hall, the full amount of her claim on the life of her lately deceased daughter, Miss Lillie Green.

The Electric Road's Assessment in Wallkill.

The assessors of the town of Wallkill seem to regard the Traction Company as a fat goose that will bear plucking. They assessed Midway Park at \$15,000 and the tracks running through the town at \$3,000.

Will Manufacture Shirts in Newark.

Messrs. C. C. Luckey and Frank Buckley, of this city, have formed a partnership and will engage in the business of shirt manufacturing in Newark, N. J., that city having been selected because female help is plenty there. They expect to begin business, Tuesday.

Tired women need to have their blood purified and enriched by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will give them strength and health.

Highest of all in Leavening Power—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

A New Store—Low Rates to the County Fair—Rev. R. B. Clark's Return—Prayer Meeting Topics—Other Notes.
From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Hartwell & Co., of Westtown, have opened a grocery store in the building lately occupied by Mrs. H. B. Levy.

—During the fair the Erie will sell tickets good for round trip from Goshen to Newburgh and return for 61 cents, good for return passage until Sept. 21.

—Rev. R. B. Clark will arrive home, this evening, from his European trip and will officiate at the services in the Presbyterian Church, to-morrow.

The funeral of Miss Mary Carey was held from St. John's Church, this morning, and was largely attended.

—The public school will open Tuesday next.

—The prayer meeting topics for to-morrow are as follows: "Ye must be born," John v:7, Wm. E. Lovett leader; Y. P. S. O. E.—"Enthusiasm and what it will accomplish," 2nd Chron. xi:28, xii:7-10, James C. Coleman leader.

—Mr. Harry W. Waite, a former well known Goshen young man, will be married in Albany, Monday night, to a young lady of that city.

IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

Some Local and Personal Notes—A Dog Who Knew Where a Cat's Claws Do the Least Harm.

From a Special Correspondent.
—Mr. Charles Coleman and family returned, last evening, from their trip to the Adirondacks.

—Mr. Roger Conant, of New York, has been spending a few days, this week, at the home of his grandfather, Dr. J. W. Ostrom.

—Mrs. Henry Hosford, of Brooklyn, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. L. Frost, at her home in this village.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Vander Bogert, who have been spending the summer at the home of the Misses Grier in this village, went to Schenectady, this morning.

—The writer has, for a long time, been convinced that dogs are possessed of reasoning powers, and a few evenings since she witnessed a small incident that helped to confirm her in this opinion. Across the street in a snug fence corner sat a small black cat, demurely washing her face and looking out for any excitement that might offer, looking the while as evil as only a black cat can look. After a few moments, she was spied by a dog on the opposite side of the way, who with bristling hair and tail erect, rushed across eager to rout her from her position. Little Miss Pussy sat quietly in her corner, but there was a light in her wicked green eyes that evidently reminded the canine of former conflicts, in which his eyes had suffered for, as he drew nearer, his ardor abated and though his bark continued fierce, he took good care to keep at a safe distance. Finally he became so exasperated that he came close to her, barked defiance under her very nose and then, with great skill and rapidity, executed a flank movement, so that when her claws descended they struck where they could do comparatively little damage. This performance was repeated several times, until finally another dog appeared upon the scene, when, with a hiss and a sputter, something went up like a skyrocket and Miss Tabby completed her toilet on the branch of a tree, far beyond the reach of her tormentors, who then turned their attention to a squirrel that sat on a limb just above their heads, holding a pear in its arms and looking very much like a man with a lass viol. After they had caused him to drop the fruit and scamper away, they trotted off, evidently feeling that they had done a good evening's work.

—You cannot match the above prices.

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

Ladies' \$1.50 Duck Suits for 89 Cents Each.

LADIES' 75c. WRAP.

PERS for 59c.

Green Ginger.

Mustard Seed,

Celery Seed,

Turmeric,

Curry Powder,

All spices and condiments

at

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HOW'S THIS?

During July and August, in order to keep our force on, we will give free, with every suit sold, a pair of never-rip pants, overalls or a shirt, or allow their value as a cash discount. Suits to order from \$12.50 up Trousers \$3 up.



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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS
SICK HEADACHE
 Positively cured by these Little Pills.
 They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Bile, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.
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A NOVEL Fly Catcher.

Attractive and effective.

Must be seen to be appreciated.

See those in window.

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 S. W. MILLSPAUGH & CO.

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 IN
 SCHOOL BOOKS, SLATES, PENS,
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Pencils, Ink,
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 If the sigh and the kiss of a winter's night
 Come deep from the soul in the stronger ray
 That is born in the light of the winter's day!
 And things can never go badly wrong
 If the heart be true, and the love be strong.
 For the mist, if it comes, and the weeping rain
 Will be changed by the love into sunshine again.
 —George MacDonald.

A FAIR DIVISION.

The poverty in the village was very general, and but for Pietro Gozzoli the keeper of the winshop might have lowered his blinds and pulled his door to.

The fishing along the Naples coast had been bad for many weeks, and in Basilio every man is a fisherman and every woman a fisherman's wife or daughter. And so the poverty was great, and Pietro was the only man who still smoked a daily handful of cigarettes and still sat regularly in the winshop.

He had been to England, and had come back with a fortune, and was independent of the vagaries of the fish and the weather. "Ah," sighed the villagers, as they placed their hands in their empty pockets, "what a lucky man is Pietro, and what a rich place that England must be!"

One day in the early spring, the news went about that this man of fortune was grown insatiable, and was going away again to make more music for the foreigners and to get yet more francs. And every fisherman was sick with envy that he, too, could not leave the barren harbor and go to the northern El Dorado. But Pietro Gozzoli alone was possessed of the great sum that was wanted to pay the steamboat people and to hire the organ.

And who would be take with him? Which of the dark-eyed village beauties would he marry to be his companion and to share his gains? Many were the longing looks thrown to him and many the prayers whispered to the saints by pretty ones whose fancy saw countless bright ribbons and sashes, the possessions of her who should be chosen.

A day or two more, and it was known that Tessa Pancia was the happy girl destined to be raised to opulence; and, early one morning, she and Pietro left Basilio for the long, dusty walk to Naples. And the next day they were standing on the deck of the steamer, watching the shore line die out as the sea grew deeper and bluer.

During the voyage he taught her the words of English he remembered and talked to her about the life in London; how that they were to work very hard and spend very little, that they might have much to take home with them. And she, still glad that she had found grace in his sight, smiled agreement to everything.

A week after they had walked out of Basilio, beautiful even in its poverty, they were citizens of the Italian colony in London, making music about the streets during the days and passing the nights in a garret in an evil smelling court at the back of Saffron Hill.

Pietro was the musician, and hour after hour for many hours he toiled at the organ handle, now with left hand, and now with right. Tessa carried the tray for the offerings of the passers-by, and as she was pretty and begged with a charming smile, her apron pockets were usually heavy with copper coins when the evening and the time to return home came.

Then Pietro relieved her of the weight, and counted out the pence and took them to some shop near by and changed them for silver. When there was enough of silver, it was parted with for gold, and something was added to the little pile of savings.

These savings were kept in a tin box, hidden under a loose board in the corner of the room. Not a very good treasure chest, but Pietro did not understand the English banking system, and there was no one in Basilio rich enough to send money to for safe keeping.

Three years went by, and the yellow board was so increased that Tessa's eyes shone and her fancy wandered as Pietro counted and recounted it in the evenings.

"Shall we not go home to Basilio now?" she said as once she watched him. "Have we not enough?"

"No, not quite enough. We will stay this summer and go back when the foggy days come."

"Of course this was spoken in musical Italian, but I have brought it into English for the benefit of the one or two readers who otherwise might not understand."

Tessa pouted a little at the reply, and consoled herself by going out to talk to Filippo.

Filippo was a native of Sardinia who had lately come to London to enter the profession of ice cream merchant. But although it was early summer, the days were rather cold than hot, and there was no demand for ices, either lemon or raspberry, and Filippo was drifting toward bankruptcy.

His rent was owing and his barrow mortgaged, and he was at the point of another unsuccessful day. And she went too. An exceedingly foolish thing, for she had known Filippo only a month, and Pietro, whom she had known for years, had told her that he did not like the young adventurer in ice cream and that she must not talk with him.

Nevertheless she wept, and told him how sorry she was. And as the pity grew in her, she thought how much better looking he was than Pietro, and how tired she was of the streets, and how she longed to see the blue sea and sky again. Would Pietro give her a share of the savings and let her go?

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two. Oh, why was not Pietro Filippo and Filippo Pietro?

How handsome he was, and he was but a boy, and Pietro was more than 40. She spoke her thoughts, and hope came to Filippo's face, and he took her hand and began a long, eager whispering. And at that moment Pietro chanced to pass, and saw them, and hesitated for a step or two, and scowled and went on. They were earnest in their whisperings and did not see his coming and his going.

"Tomorrow then, Tessa," said Filippo, "and together to my people. He will not know, and cannot follow."

"Yes, tomorrow." And she returned his kiss and went back to Pietro. The next morning Pietro was unwell. Nothing serious, he said; his head ached a little, and he was tired and needed a rest. He would stay at home until the evening, and would then go to Cazzio's and play dominoes as usual, and be all right again in the morning. So that day Tessa pushed the organ about the streets without assistance.

But during part of the morning she rested and talked to Filippo, who seemed to have forsaken his barrow to follow her. Their talk resulted in some agreement, for, as he left her he said:

"Then, Tessa, I will be waiting at 8 with the tickets. And remember we must catch the boat, and you must manage that Pietro is out," and she replied:

"I will get it; he will be at Cazzio's at 8."

At dark she returned to the court, and as she passed, Filippo nodded to her from the shadow of the corner and showed two tickets.

She climbed up the rickety staircase to the room she had shared with Pietro. He was not there; it must be done at once.

She crossed to the corner near the window. The board moved easily, and she felt for the tin box, and found it, and carried it to the lamp.

The box was very light, and fear came to her as she opened it and saw that it was empty save for a fold of dirty paper.

With trembling fingers she nudged the paper, and held it to the lamp and read the words:

"Goodby, Tessa. I have decided not to wait for the fog. We will share now and part. You shall have Filippo and I the money that was here. Goodby," written in Pietro's rude scrawl.

Filippo waited long at the corner, and at last crossed to the house, and, learning from the woman standing at the door that Pietro was out, walked up the stairway and into the room.

Then he, too, read the paper, and his sorrow was joined to Tessa's.—Edgar S. Turner in Sketch.

The Durham Rites.

The "Durham Rites" speak of a great store of ancient manuscripts possessed by the house to help the monks in their study. The "Rites" go on to say how the store included "the old ancient written doctors of the church, as other profane authors, with divers other holie men's workes, so that every one dyd studie what Doctor pleased them best, havinge the Librarie at all times to go and studie in, besides their carrells."

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